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NEWS AT A GLANCE

Venice to challenge assessment law

assessment law

Amid complaints that it
wasn't doing anything to
fight the recent dramatic
reassessment of the
AmerenUE power plant, the
Venice City Council approved
challenging the constitution
ality of the state law allowing
that reassessment.

The city will also present
recently released tax figures
to legislators in an attempt to
have the law changed.
About 45 people attended
the meeting, held in the
Venice Senior Citizens Center
to accommodate the crowd.
The assessed valuation of
AmerenUE's Venice generating
plant was recently
sing plant was recently
multiplier, is the major reason Venice residents will see
about a 14 percent increase
in their tax bill this year.

Park legislation approved

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Legislation that would allow voters in the Metro Execution of the Metro-East Park and Recreation of the Metro-East Park and Recreation District, which would be responsible for planning and development of an extensive first of the Metro-East Park and Recreation District, which would be responsible for planning and development of an extensive first of the Metro-East Park and Fereight of the Metro-East Park and Terefedom unthar requires voter approval of a 1/10-cent sales tax to fund the district. Funds would be used to develop and maintain a network of interconnected parks in the Metro-East and improve existing local ark and recreation facilities. Seen approved by the Seen approved by the Missouri General Assembly, If approved by voters, a separate district would be created.

Simpson, Gamblin GCHS valedictorians

Cory Simpson and Leah Gamblin are Granite City High School's co-valedictori-ans for the 1998-1999 school

Irwin Chapel

enice unions call for suspension

Unions representing teachers and support staff in the Venice School
District have called for the suspension of Superintendent James Doughty.
At a press conference/protest in front of the school Board the School Board meeting, represented the School Board meeting meeting

meeting, represen-tatives of Venice Federation of Teachers Local 965 and Service

Employees International Local 98 called for the board to suspend Doughty pending an investigation into complaints.

They cited allegations that he forced elementary Principal Rachelle Artis, who is leaving the district, to evaluate three teachers falsely, and that Doughty is attempting to 'bust' the local unions. Neither Doughty to The Local unions.

Superintendent accused of attempted 'union busting'

reached for comment.

A representative of the Illinois Federation of Teachers also said the Illinois Education Labor Relations. Board has issued a complaint against the district, Mike Meyers, an investigator with the IEL.RB, confirmed that the agency would be issuing a complaint. Meyers said Friday that the complaint had not been filed because it must include a date for a hearing at

the IELRB office in Springfield, and a hearing date had not been agreed upon by all parties.

In a memo to Doughty and school board members dated May 26 and released to the media Thursday, Artis stated she had submitted new evaluations for three teachers at the elementary schools. One of those teachers,

State OKs budget

Approval comes with little debate

By Steve Whitworth Staff Writer

State lawmakers from the

State lawmakers from the area expressed satisfaction Thursday night as they headed home from the 1999 session of the Illinois Legislature.

The General Assembly

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to a \$42.8 billion state being the first details of the deal struck by Gov. George Ryan and legislative leaders.

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Islative leaders.

Approval came with virtually no debate in a series of lopsided votes - several bills passed without a single opposing vote - as the Republican governor watched.

Lawmakers then adjourned their spring session, which originally was schaduled to

originally was scheduled to end last Friday. The budget

package, including the \$12 bil-lion Illinois FIRST construc-tion initiative, awaits Ryan's signature. "It's been a busy session, and it's probably going to end up being a historic session," state Rep. Steve Davis, D-Bethalto said. "This governor is state Rep. Steve Davis, DBethalto said. "This governor
did a heck of a job moving his
agenda through the
Legislature. There people
Legislature. There people
longer than I have who have
never seen it be like this."
State Sen. Evelyn Bowles,
D-Edwardsville, said this
year's legislative session was
"totally different" than any
other she has experienced
job." Bowles said. "We've
worked 'very hard. A lot of
good things have happened
and come off of this "session.
I'm pleased to have been a
part of it."
State Rep. Jay Hoffman, DSee BUDGET, Page 5A

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Motorola pep rally



One of the cars on display at Keiner Plaza in downtown St. Louis Wednesday afternoon. The 3rd annual CART Motorola 300 ran Saturday afternoon at Gateway International Raceway.

DARE helps kids

By Michael Heil Staff writer

If there is one thing that helps students in the Granite City School District the Granite City School District the Granite City School District the Grant Th

Police program not just about drugs

no idea that there will be discussions based on how they
can resist the negative influences in their lives by demonstrating strong character and.
Students from Lake,
Marshall, Mitchell,
Niedringhaus and Wilson elementary schools graduated
from the DARE program
Wednesday morning at
Granite City High School. In
all, 375 students received certricates for the 17-weck
course taught by Grote that

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Alycia Dioneda from Niedringhaus School speaks at the DARE graduation Wednesday morning at Granite City Senior High School.

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Dan Barger photo The Lou Fusz Automotive Network driver wheels through the championship race in the 10th annual Mini Grand Prix Saturday at Creve Coeur Days. Lou Fusz was overall winner in the competition, which benefits the Arthritis Foundation of St. Louis. **Annual Mini Grand Prix raises** \$150,000 for arthritis research

Suburban Journals one of 33 teams involved in race

By Ron Wisdom Staff writer

Staff writer

More than \$150,000 will be used for arthritis research and local quality of life programs, involved in the 10th annual Mini Grand Prix.

The Suburban Journals, a long-time sponsor of the annual event, again participated in the two-day event held method 22. This the staff of the 10th American and the 10th American and 10t

Days and the Monsanto/Solutia carees on the Monsanto/Solutia carees on the Monsanto/Solutia "This has been one of our better years," said Clindi Gormley, director of development and marketing for the Arthritis Foundation of St. Louis. Thirty-three teams

participated in the annual fund-raiser this year; 23 raced

participated in the annual fund-raiser this year, 28 raced in 18 to 18 t

go-kart drivers for many years.

A team of Suburban Journal employees again competed in the event this year. Team members included Gina Thornburg Kutsch, Justin Lopinot, Kim Wright, Brian Editorial Director Dan Barger screed and the once again and drove in the

Celebrity Race.
Lou Fusz Automotive was the overall winner of the competition Saturday. McCarthy Construction finished second and MasterCard International, last year's first-place winner, came in third this year.

Chain of Rocks Bridge dedication set Tuesday

Span once linked region on old Route 66

By Scott Cousins Staff writer

Officials from both sides of the Mississippi River will gather at the Old Chain of Rocks Bridge Tuesday for an official dedication of the bridge as the longest pedestrian/bicycle bridge in the world.

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many is set for 10 and corrections of the center of the bridge, which was part of Route 68 and was closed in 1983 after the completion of the Interstate 270 Chain of Rocks Bridger.

Interstate 270 Chain of Rocks Bridger is owned by the city of Madison, which leased the bridge to Trailnet line., a nonprofit land trust agency. Trailnet is renovating the bridge as a boponing signals the end of the first phase of the project.

The bridge eventually will be the centerpiece of the first phase of the project.

The bridge eventually will be the centerpiece of interconnected trails on both sides of the river from Alton to St. Louis, with connections to the Vadalabene Trail along Katy Trail in Missouri, and other trails in Madison and

The old Chain of Rocks Bridge in Madison was part of the old logged was part of the old legendary Route 66, known as "America's Highway." It was closed in 1968 when the Interstate 270 Chain. of Rocks Bridge opoened to traffic.

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trail running parallel to the st. Clair County MetroLink extension. Gricials expected to participate in the ceremony include Madison Mayor John Hamm; Madison County Board Chairman Rudy Papa; St. Louis Mayorner Clarence Harmon; former Clarence Greenway for St. Louis 2004; and officials from Trailnet Inc. and the Confluence Greenway project.

The cost of the renovation is expected to be about 34 million. Malf was for the Lirist phase of the renovation, which included structural repair and the installation of safety features such as fencing.

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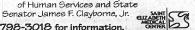
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One-quarter of Venice students may be illegal

Some 100 students could be out-of-district

By Scott Cousins Staff writer

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While it apparently has avoided a major financial shortfall from the recent AmerenUE reassessment, the Venice School District could face an even bigger hit:

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of its students may be attending illegally.

At Thursday's school board meeting. Superintenday's school board meeting. Superintendent board that the unofficial results of a recent audit by the Illinois State Board of Education shows that there may be more than 100 students attending classes in Venice would be superintended to the superintendent of th

numbers involved in the Venice district are alarming. Doughty called it a "long-standing historical problem," especially between the Madison and Venice of the Madison and the Madison at the Madison at the Madison and the Madison at the Madison and the Ma

district.
Scheibal said total
enrollment for the Venice
School District is 427, and

the district received \$4,250 in direct state aid for each student during the 1998-1999 school year.

If those students return to their own districts, that would result in the loss of more than \$400,000 in state and the district's \$3 million budget.

Most of the recent financial attention has been on the reassessment of the AmerenUE power plant to about \$1 million from \$6 million in assessed value. The creassessment of a state law allowing utilities to be assessed differently from other properties, will mean a loss of about \$285,000 in tax revenue this year.

tax revenue this year.

However, Doughty went to Springfield last week and met with legislators and promised that a special appropriation would take care of the district's loss this year, and state financial aid will make up the difference in coming years.

As with most issues in Venice, there was sharp disagreement over the alleged illegal student attendance by board members.

Venice's top graduates ready to move on with lives

Griggs, Wiley have big plans for the future

By Scott Cousins Staff writer

For both the valedictorian and salutatorian at Venice High School, it is time to move

High School, it is time to move on.

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Scott Cousins photo Venice High School's valedictorian, Chermyne Griggs, and salutatorian, Ericka Wiley, stand in front of the VHS building recently. The two are the top students in VHS' Class of 1999, which graduates at 7 p.m. Friday at the VHS avm

Dulloing recently. The two are Class of 1999, which graduate VHS gym. important thing to get you through life," she said. She plans to continue her education at BAC, where she intends to work toward an assochology. She then plans to attend the University of Illinois in Champaign-Urbana.

Ericka spent her senior year in a work-study program at Ralston Purina Co. She went to class for three hours each day, then worked in the company's community affairs department. She will be attending the University of Arkansas-Pine Bluff.

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Disabled vets are overlooked

Bill would create national memorial in Washington

By Arthur H. Wilson

Tiny flags on millions of American graves will stir gently in the breeze this Memorial Day as our nation gives thanks to the ultimate sacrifices of its citizen soldiers. They fought and died to keep our nation free.

into preeze tims memorial Day as our nation gives thanks to died to keep our nation free.

Millions of disabled American veterans, who also greatly sacrificed, will be at cemeteries across America to ensure their fallen brothers and sisters are remembered with honor. But it is deeply saddening and disturbing that these men and women disabled by war are not remembered. They are part of lost generated the part of lost ship to the part of the lost ship to the part of the lost ship to the lost ship the lost ship to th

Above all, the memorial will stand as a symbol of the cost of freedom, a reminder that sacrifices of disabled veterans are appreciated, and that America salutes its defenders. Throughout our history, disabled veterans have paid the price for American freedom and have borne the deepest wounds and scars of war. They are truly our unsung heroes. Therefore, America has a solemn obligation to assure that these men and women who have served and sacrificed for this country and the cause of freedom will be the sacrification of the cause of freedom will be the sacrification of the cause of freedom will be the sacrification. The country and the cause of freedom will be sacrificated for this country and the cause of freedom will be sacrificated for this country and the cause of freedom will be sacrificated for this country and the cause of freedom will be sacrificated for this country and the cause of freedom will be sacrificated for unique, extensive and debilitating injuries.

Disabled veterans' lives were traumatized by their military experiences. Many will never know the wonder of a morning in success. Others never can hold their children or grandchildren in their arms because they have no arms. Many will never enjoy the beauty of a sunset or a spring day, because they live in eternal darkness.

The price of freedom sa long history. Today, there are the sacrification of the veterans' service-connected deaths.

There are 13 American veterans' still living today who were disabled in the Mexican Border War against Pancho Villa.

There are 779 disabled veterans who suffered from the gas attacks and barrages and year and the summer of the same and the s

Let us as a people also give thanks to disabled veterans who continue to serve, to contribute and to do all they can to make this nation secure and prosperous. They, too, should be honored by the nation they served so faithfully.

Arthur H. Wilson is a disabled Vietnam War veteran, and CEO and national adjutant of the Disabled American Veterans.



School safety discussion turns eerie

Staff writer

As the group talked, words like "hard" and "soft" targets were bandled about, and the need for better intelligence.

With the current air war going on in the Balkans, it would be easy to imagine that it was a group of pollicians or get us out of that mess.

If it was it would be understandable.

Instead, it was a school district superintendent talking to the Rotary during a prayer breakfast.

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And I couldn't help thinking "God help us, it's come to this."
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Scott Cousins

strators when someone is acting strangely or appears to be about to go over the edge, and administrators having the sense to listen and act.

He also talked about the media's role in the desensitizing of children to violence, the availability of weapons and instructions in their manufacture and use, materialism and a lack of moral instruction.

Because of the shootings, school safety has become a hot topic, with most of the anames coming dodes and with the sport of the septiment of th

sacred cows.

Apply forgetting that we are already overloaded with laws that are not enforced, and the political climate makes it impossible to have an intelligent debate on what controls are needed. Instead, they dust off their same old ideas and try to ram 'em down On the right they blame the

our throats.

On the right, they blame the lack of prayer in the classroom, trench coats or some other weird clothing, and

who knows what on the internet and media.

Never mind that every generation's parents think the generation's parents think the send them to hell in a hand basket, and most kids look weird to their parents.

They forget that the only God in most classrooms is well to their parents.

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unlimited information, but don't have the will-power. Well. Our school system has abdicated teaching moral values in favor of self-esteem and diversity — admirable qualities, but values or even context.

Is there a solution? Yes, if all sides would decide to fully consider the issue and bring all sides would decide to fully consider the issue and bring table, something could be done. It would take time and be painful, but it could happen. But it won't happen.

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So instead of real change, we'll get a few legislat mad people will feel good about it until the next tragedy happens.

Then, when we've become so frightened that we can't see study suppled the constitution in the process.

My fear is that we are seeing a major change in this country.

But how do we really solve the problem't oaks Solomon, because I don't know.

In one sense, it was appropriate for Balen to be addressing a prayer group.

Cod only knows what to do about it.

We must teach young to respect values

By Butch Miller

Memorial Day is the day we remember and honor those who lost their lives fighting for our nation. The men and women we remember on Memorial Day demonstrated the highest form of faith in the control of the control o

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Each of us must instill in young people the importance of Memorial Day. We also should ask God — in our daily prayers — to continue to bless America. If we do these things, America's faith in freedom, justice and democracy will remain intact.

continue and democracy will flourish worldwide.

I often tell others about Danny Flor

continue and cemoracy win noursas worldwide. I often tell others about Danny Flynn, a young Marine. His story helps me rearifarm a young person's faith in the rearifarm a young person's faith in the Pfc. Flynn drove a personnel carrier during the Vietnam War. He had been in Vietnam for 19 days when he volunteered to take a sick buddy's tour of duty. On that fateful night, May 25, 1968, a Cambodian rocket killed Flynn. He was 20 years old.

Cambodian rocks and the park, N.Y. years old.

Hymn buried there with full military honors at Pinelawn Cemetery. He was awarded the Purple Heart posthumously. A Kings Park baseball field was named in his honor. But the most important tribute to Flynn is carried out by a local middle school. They keep hope alive by teaching

young people how important Memorial Day is.

young people how important Memorial Day is.

The letters to Flynne mother Through the battlefield death of Danny Flynn new generations are learning about patriotic values. Their notes to Flynn's mother are short but poignant. "When I say the Fledge of Allegiance, I will remember Danny Flynn," writes one student. Library will help me focus on the sacrifice Danny Flynn made for me," reflects another.

The children of that middle school wouldn't understand Memorial Day is someone hadn't taught them that freedom is me free. They continue to part their faith in democracy by committing the most selfless act of all.

Each of us must instill in young people the importance of Memorial Day. We also should ask God — in our daily prayers — to continue to his days and the should ask God — in our daily prayers — to continue to his shamfact. If we do use the should ask God — in our daily prayers — to continue to his shamfact. If we do use the should ask god — in our daily prayers — to continue to his shamfact. If we do use the shamfact is the shamfact of the shamfact o

Butch Miller of Woodbridge, Va., is the national commander of the 2.8 million-member American Legion, the nation's largest wartime veterans organizations

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streets.
"We also ensured that some other needed infrastructure programs, such as school construction, are funded for the long term," he said.
For the most projects targeted billions of dollars in

road, bridge and mass transit needs. Hoffman said his position as chairman of the House Transportation Committee presented him with an enviable opportunity during the session.

"I think I was in a unique position to help ensure that the entire Metro East area's major transportation needs were men, if it had not been done in this legislative session, it would have been five or six years before we passed legislation providing funding for these important projects.

"As a representative, one of your jobs is to bring home your fair share for the area you represent," Hoffman said. "I think we've done that this session, and we're well-positioned to provide the necessary infrastructure arteries for the area's economic development and quality of

life."
The package of budget-related bills includes a multibillion-dollar bond authorization measure to the \$6.3 billion state share of Ryan's public works program.

The House approved the bond measure 95-19.

Lawmakers last week approved the initial bills tied to Illinois FIRST, including 140 fee increases designed to raise nearly \$500 million, plus \$80 million in higher liquor taxes.

The state's \$6.3 billion portion of the program is to draw \$5 billion in federal and \$2.7 billion in local government matching funds. Most of the state money will come through bond sales of \$4.3 billion.

The Associated Press contributed information for this story.

Venice school unions take aim at Doughty

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targeted to receive write-ups, as others have been this as others have been this reflected stated, as well as nonverbalized, expectations from my direct supervisor (Depth Baker, president of Local 956, said Artis met with two union officials Thursday morning and confirmed the allegations.

"She states clearly and substantial that was instructed to do so because of (Doughty's) disgust and contempt for the Bunion," Baker said. Members of Local 98 also criticized Doughty for his unwillingness to either

negotiate or meet over grievances flick by the union. The variation of the control of the contro

job when you're worried about someone sniping you in the Shop Steward John Ervin, who is a Venice alderman and a member of the Madison School Board, said the School Board, said the and that this is "a lost year."

Baker agreed that it has not been a good year for the district.

"We've done the best we car," he said. "We've held the fort," he said. "We've held the

can," he said. "We ve item fort. "This is a year we came into

very optimistically," he said.
"We had been on the eadermic when the been on the eadermic way off it. We had established a school improvement plan with a team from the state. That plan was unanimously approved by the school board. Enter Dr. Doughty, that plan was unanimously approved by the school board. Enter Dr. Doughty, that plan and we're back to square none."

IFT representative Jerry Miller said he had been notified earlier Thursday that the IELERB had seed charges. "The situation is deplorable," he said. "We have a man who is supposed to be the educational leader and set an example. He will not listen to anyone. If it's not his will be a said improving eduction should be about bringing together a community.

"Here we have an individual who belives where

"Here we have an individual who believes his is the only way; he doesn't want to listen to what anyone else has to say." Miller said. "It's an environment in which improvement cannot occur."

About 30 people, including teachers, support staff, local union representatives and city officials marched and carried signs in front of the school Thursday.

Deputies make first crystal meth arrest

By Sanford J. Schmidt Staff writer

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Deputies have made
Maddson County's first
airrests under a new law
designed to stem the tide of
crystal methamphetamine, a
dangerous drug said to be
spreading across the
country.

The airrests of three men
from Cuba, Mo., came
Tuesday night after deputies
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The chemical is used in
making crystal

The chemical is used in making crystal methamphetamine, which can cause death from an overdose. The process of

making the drug can cause explosions, and hazardous materials equipment is used to dismantle the labs where the "theft of this compound is becoming more common because it is used as one of the ingredients in the preparation of the drug crystal methamphetamine," is Madison County Sheriff's Department.

The compound's legitimate use is for growing crops. Employees of the farm supply store have been they arrive for work in the morning. The thefts are detectable because the thieves fail to completely shut off the outlier from the

ammonia tank, and a small white cloud results.

After reports of the thefts, deputies and agents of the fixed the state of the state of

Newest GC DARE class holds graduation

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from September through May. Five students, each representing an elementary school, were selected by their seconding their well-written DARE essays.

Those students — Jessica Thebeau of Lake, Lacey Gamblin of Marshall, Amie Carr of Mitchedrighaus and Christina Justus of Wilson — spoke briefly about the

program before a packed auditorium.

"I though DARE was educational and fun," said Alycia, 11. "It taught us than the said and the said

Lacey, 12, spoke next. "I Tearned a lot. I learned about violence and how drugs can cause heart disease and canser." I, said the program gave her the confidence and self-esteem to avoid substance abuse involving peer pressure. "DARE will help me next year (when I attend middle school). I do not know what

graduation

I'm going to do with my life, but I know that I will say no to drugs, Amie said.

Dave Ruebhausen handed out the certificates and presented the medals. Dr. J.R. Vasiloff, president of the DARE committee, praised the committee, praised the competitive prain and GCHS football coach and Third Ward Alderman Nick Petrillo told the students to stay firm in substance against which will be a football coach and Third Ward Alderman Nick Petrillo told the students to stay firm in their resistance against which will be a football coach and Third Ward Access Channel 6 at 5 p.m. Tuesday and at 3:30 p.m. Tuesday and at 3:30 p.m. Thursday. The district has offered the program since 1889

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Scam artists may be operating here

St. Louis County resident loses \$7,000; area residents warned

By Michael Heil Staff writer

A man who recently knocked on a door in the 3300 block of Bradley and asked an elderly woman for a glass of water may have been a scam artist. Four

GRANITE CITY similar incidents

this month in St. Louis County, One elderly woman there was robbed of about \$7,000 when she let an individual enter her home.

The incident in Granite City occurred at about 9:30 a.m. April 29 at the home of an 81-year-old woman. The

victim, who lives with her son, was not harmed or robbed. Her son was not home at the son was not home at the son was not home at the lives of the son was not home at the According to a Grante City Police report, five people were allowed to enter the woman's home. They had swarthy complexions and claimed to work for the city. They told the woman they were working on a water-related problem at a neighborth 30 was not some control of the son was not son wa

-hurriedly left, driving away in a brownish-colored, dilapidated station wagon. Police Maj, Kip Pomeroy said residents, especially the elderly, should be aware of scams during this time of year.

He said people of Eastern European or Slovak descent often prey on the elderly during the summer. He said community to another, knocking on doors and telling residents they work for a utility company or are state, county or municipal employees.

"It's unfortunate that there is a certain segment of our

society that takes advantage of good-natured senior citizens," he said. "There are those who will do just about anything to steal from them." Pomeroy said the incident in Granite City is under investigation and tha authorities at the police the state of the state o

If anyone has any suspicions about a possible scam, Pomeroy added, do not not hesitate to call police.

Obituaries

Thomas Austin
THOMAS LEE AUSTIN, 61, of
Dover, Tenn., formerly of Granite
City, died Wednesday, May 26,
He was born July 1, 1937, in
Indian Mound, Tenn. Mr. Austin
was a self-employed contractor
Survivors include his wife, Gioria (Alkins) Austin; a son, Merty
Austin of Dover, Thorry, Nina
Downs and Laurie Elliott, all of
Dover, Tenn., and Stephanle LewIs of Common Co

Cecilia Cruse
CECILIA R. (RODERICK) CRUSE,
78, of Granite City, died at 1 a.m.
Friday, May 28, 1999, at Rosewood Care Center in Edwards-

ville.

She was born Aug. 4, 1920, in Old Mines, Mo. Mrs. Cruse had worked as an officer manager at the former W.T. Grant store in Granite City. She also had taught

of lasbella.

Survivors include three sons, Herman Cruse and Dennis Cruse, both of Grantle City, and David J. Cruse of Florissant, Mc.; two both of Grantle City and Robyn Davis of Sandy, Ulah; two brothers, Richard Roderick of Grantle City and Robyn Company of Grantle City and Beach, Callf.; a slater, Teresa Harding of Grantle City; 12 grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Herman S. Cruse, women and the state of the state o

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Collinsville man gets 12 years in abuse case

Keshnër: No matter how ill you are, you must pay the price

By Dennis Grubaugh Staff writer

Frank "Sonny" Cathey Jr.'s 12-year prison term may well turn into a life sentence for the gravely ill man. But the Madison

MADISON Madison County
Court judge who sentenced
Cathey Wednesday told him he
didn't care how much time he
had left, he still must pay for
sexually abusing four sisters
years ago.

years ago.
"Whether (your life) lasts a day or another 100 years, you committed a crime and must pay the consequences," Circuit Judge J. Lawrence Keshner said

said
Cathey, a former janitor at
the county courthouse in
Edwardsville, suffers from
advanced emphysema. He
carted a portable oxygen tank
with him to the sentencing
hearing and wore a nasal tube
to help him breathe in the gas.

His attorney, Harry
Anderson of Bethalto, said
Cathey has an estimated five
a medical report as evidence.
Cathey, 57, of Collinsville
entered an Alford plea in
March to a single charge of
criminal sexual abuse related
to the molestation of an
eyear-old girl in 1994 for
to 15 years as part of the
arrangement.
The girl did not testify but
submitted an impact statement
through a caseworker, Keeley
Glies.

through a caseworker, keeley (11/5kp) wanted to be here but called me last night to say she couldn't. Her stomach hurt her too badly," Giles testified. The girl now is in foster care in O'Fallon and has bounced from home to home because of a series of emotional problems brought or by the abuse. Hought on by the abuse. New York of the work of the series of the seri

stand. All of them testified that Cathey molested them as youngsters after becoming associated with their family when they were 1, 3 and 5.

The sisters now are 29, 25 and 24 and live in Collinsville, Edwardsville and Missouri.

The oldest said the abuse began for her when she was 5 began for her when she was 5 ran away from home at age 14 "to get away from him." She eventually was removed from the home by the Illinois population of the control of the

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treatment and his lack of a criminal record.
But Napp asked for a 15-year sentence.
"He stole four childhoods. It is time we start protecting our children from men like Frank Cathey, who has proven that he is a predator," Napp said.
Cathey, offered a chance to make a statement, told the judge he was sorry.
Keshner said he saw no

Keshner said he saw no rehabilitation possible for Cathey. He said imposing a minimum sentence would understate the seriousness of the charge.

"I listened to three young ladies testify very courageously about very intimate, embarrassing acts of sexual misconduct on your behalf," Keshner told Cathey.

Keshner called him not just a sex offender, but a robber.

"You robbed them of their childhood," he said.

90-year-old man arrested for drugs

Police arrested a man who turns 90 tomorrow for suspected drug possession Thursday.
Metropolitan Enforcement Group of Southwestern Illinois officers arrested Ernest Adkins, 89, at his home in the 3000-block of Waverly, East St.Louis.
MEGSI Master Sgl. Victor Morris said Adkins is the oldest perfect of the second of the sec

said.
Police seized 12 heroin buttons — capsules the size of aspirin — four grams of heroin, crack cocaine and guns

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Staff writer
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Drive, the water park first
opened its doors in July of last
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Catherine Galasso

Incensed, Roosevelt said to the man immediately, "You're fired. A man who will steal for me will steal from me."

soon be past, only what is done for Christ will last."

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Many great men and women have confessed that their greatest achievement was due to the power of God's word that was brought forth in their life. That power gives persistence, perseverance and seconding to the Bible, "What does it profit a man if he gains the whole world and loses his own soul." How you live today will affect the peace in your life tomorrow. So make the right decisions now. Everyone can start fresh with beginning. "I have seen so many miracles because I have opened up my heart, trusted and believed," writes reader Gail Rossiter.

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via e-mail, "I find great joy in the knowledge that the Lord is always available to me. He fills me with a sense of quiet contentment that balances out the frustration and despair that seem to pervade modern that seem to pervade modern the frustration and despair that seem to pervade modern that seem to pervade modern the frustration and the seem to great the seem to gr

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Casino Queen expects big win after casino law change

By Jason White Staff writer

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The legislature passed a law a signed of the state legislature passed a law casinos to dock outleast of the state of the signed on the boat at any time, instead of having to wait for the bill, which on Friday was waiting for the

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and a share of casino revenues to the state's horse-racing business. Casino Queen Chief Operating Officer Ed Duffy said the law would benefit

said the faw would benefit the casino.
"I think overall it will increase our business."
Duffy said. "It makes us a lot more correct the river. We think it will have a very positive impact."
The law would allow the casino to build new facilities with higher cellings for a leaf the correct the c

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Ground broken for alumni center an additional \$600,000 to \$700,000 available in private donations for the hall. Architect Mike Konzen, vice president of Peckham Guyton Albers & Viets, said the building will extend over two fingers of Cougar Lake and will contain a meeting room for up to 150 people.

By Sanford J. Schmidt Staff writer

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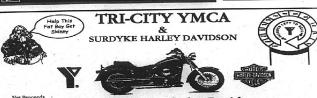


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Baseball field gets lights; basketball team heads down under

Without question, things are looking up and down at the University of Illinois. Patience, friend, this is not to dwell on any the patience of the patience of



s to its field this spring — and the down — the men's basketball team playing down under this spring in Australia . First, the baseball: On Prince of April 27, Illinois became just

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team to play night baseball at an on-campus facility. The others are Ohio State

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"Players like to go where there's a crowd. where there's

Other benefits include
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more practices and games
enough to make it to the Big
Ten tourney finals.
Forget the ups and downs
Who can blame Illini fans
for looking ahead?

Lancers eliminate Granite City



Granite City senior Debra Aaron controls the ball in a recent game for the Warriors, who finished the 1999 season on Thursday night with a 1-0 loss to Belleville East in the IHSA Columbia Sectional tournament semifinals. "We definitely outplayed them," Warriors junior Natalie Judge said. "The officiating hurt us a lot because there were two goals that I think we should have had and we didn't get either one of them." The Warriors finished the season at 13-5-2. Belleville East, the top seed in the sectional, advanced to play No. 2 seed Collinsville on Saturday in the championship game of the sectional. See Page 3B of today's paper for the Kahoks' win against Carbondale and see Wednesday's Journal for the championship game recap.

Top seed advanced to title game with 1-0 win

The Belleville East girls soccer team was awarded the SOCCER No. 1

GIRLS SOCCER No. 1

Columbia Sectional soccer tournament.

But the Lancers still had a point to prove Thursday earlier to the IHSA to the IHSA

"I think we played really well," Lancers senior Christen Seaman said. "We came out and we knew what we had to do and we took it to them just as much as they wanted to take it to us. They said that they would prevail the second time they met us. Well, we prevailed this time. Hopefully, you learn not to take Belleville you learn not to take Belleville we are at the more than the with."

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The Lancers had beaten
Granite City during their

march to this Southwestern
Conference title.

"It was a real good game
East coach Mark Lasley said
"I knew it was going to be a
battle and it was everything I
expected it would be. We feel
like we are a good team and
20-2 record. I think the girls
really kind of came out a little
bit shaky in the beginning and I
just said, 'Look, you guy a
good half and take I
I to them.' And they did.'

The Warriors had chances
including a pair of potential
plays. Late in the first half
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the second half, Montgomery
sent a corner into the box that
Delgado smothered it. The
Warriors in the area thought
the ball had crossed over.

"We definitely outplayed them." Warriors junior Natabase "Warriors junior Natabase "Warriors junior Natabase "Arrive of the Martin State of the Ma

See LANCERS, Page 3B

Top prep athletes are stark contrasts



Riverview (Mo.) Gardens High School senior Christian Morton (left) receives a congratulatory handshake from Suburban Journals president and chief executive officer Tom Rice after being recognized as the Journals Athlete of the Year at Busch Stadium on Tuesday evening. The ceremony preceded the Cardinals baseball game.



Toby Carrig (left), sports editor for the Journal Newspapers of Southern Illinois, presented plaques to the Metro East Athletes of the Year on Tuesday night at Busch Stadium. Honorees were (from left): Danielle Lawary of Belleville West, Mike Bowen of O'Fallon and Autumn Dow of Collinsville. Collinsville's Ken Lutz had a prior commitment.

Specializing in football led Morton to record season, state title chase

By Mark McColl Correspondent

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Correspondent
Outstanding high school
athletes often are the students
who play whatever sport is in
season — and do it very well.
The Suburban Journals Male
Athlete of the Year is that kind
event he chose to concentrate
on one sport.
For Christian Morton and
the Riverview (Mo.) Gardens
High School football team, that
concentration paid off in a
Morton, the quarterback for
the Rams, led Riverview to
13-1 season, including a 41-34
victory against Jefferson City
(Mo.) in the Missouri State
High School Activities
Achampionship game at the
Trans World Dome in St.
Louis.
Morton burned the Jays for
364 yards of offense (211
passing and 153 rushing) and
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concludences.

For the 1998 season, Morton finished with a St. Louis area record 2,533 yards passing. His



4,957 career passing yards als established a new record for

See MORTON, Page 28

Stark never slowed down, excelling in three sports in her senior season

By Dennis Barnidge Staff writer

High school sports may not have a bigger fan — or a better player — than Debbie

have a bigger tan — or a better player — than Debbie Ster player — than Debbie Stark could play the athletic snob — she hardly would be the first — and give high school ball the cold shoulder. With schedules that overlap from the shear of the shoulder with schedules that overlap from a high school season and here would be no reason for anyone to complain.

Stark, a senior at House Springs (Mo.) Northwest High She's shocked by the suggestion.

"I love playing high school (sports)," she says. "I love playing with my friends."

playing with my friends."

Her Triends feel the same way. Mandy Konersmann is a terrific soccer talent who has spent four seasons of varsity ball as the best Northwest player who wasn't Debbie Stark. She waves off the notion she'd receive more notice on a team that didn't have Stark in the Sheldserves it all."

Konersmann says of the attention. "I love playing with her. She's great."

Stark is great. Seemingly,

See STARK, Page 2B

Gamblin closes prep career

Granite City valedictorian had other priorities ahead of high school athletics

By Rick Broome Staff writer

Leah Gamblin has her priorities firmly in order The valedictorian of the

The valedictorian of the class of sports Grante School was a member of the girls soccer and volleyball teams for the past four seasons. But during it all, she kept her sporting activities it in the proper perspective. "As an athlete, she is fit," Granite City soccer coach Gene Baker said outstanding soccer player if it were higher on her list of priorities. Unfortunately, she has her priorities in line," he joked. "I think she is certainly of the sport of

priorities. Unfortunately, she has her priorities in line," he joked has her priorities in line," he joked think she is certainly a very religious person; her dad is the minister." Baker said. "Next, she is an excellent citizen, then student. Then she has all of these other desirable fortitude, all of these things that make her what she is. She is such an example of a well-rounded student-ather. Baptist and has other goals ahead of athleties. "My church is very important to me and so is my family." Gamblin said.

"My church is very important to me and so is my family." Gamblin said.

"Church go together because my dad is the minister. So I've ulways gone to church my whole life and it has always whole life and it has always whole life. I have dreamed of being valedictorian; it's been my goal. Because of that, my needemies have always been a high priority to me, so that high priority to me, so that high priority to me, so that know I'm not going to be on the USA Women's volleyball team.

Girls soccer IHSA PLAYOFFS

She has such excellent credentials, being a two-sporter and having next to impeccable grades. She is really a first-class young lady. She has manners, polish, attitude."

Gene Baker Granite City coach

"Something that I want to do and something that I know I can accomplish. I'm going to work harder at. So that's why those things have always been important to me."

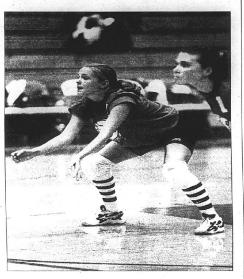
Gamblin's accomplishments

Gamblin's accomplishments require character and discipline.
"You just have to prioritize," Gamblin said.
"Sundays, I set aside for charch. We just receive to have some successive on Sunday afternoons, but that's after church. Now that school is over, it's better than it has been. You just have to fit it all in."

in."
Though she didn't get to start many games, Gamblin has been an exemplary team member for the Warriors soccer program.

"I've always tried to keep a positive attitude about our whole team," Gamblin said. "I don't like the state of the said of the

The Warriors lost their IHSA sectional semifinal game to Belleville East Thursday, closing out Gamblin's high



Granite City's Leah Gamblin ranks first in the senior class and played volleyball and soccer for the Warriors.

school sports career. But down the stretch, the Warriors soccer team came together as a group.

"I think it's about remembering everything we were supposed to do and not having the bad attitudes the said "Ceach is going to but said "Ceach is going to but out there who he thinks can get the job done, so everyone needed to deal with that and handle it in the best way."

As difficult as it was to juggle all of her activities, Gamblin wouldn't trade a minute of her busy scholastic schedule.

"I think I would have missed a lot if I wouldn't have done it all," Gamblin said. "A lot of people don't or can't figure out it was my choice and that is what I chose to do. That is how I chose to spend my time and I've loved every minute of it."

And Granite City coaches enjoyed it as well.

"She has such excellent credentials, being a two-sporter and having next to impeccable grades," Baker said. "She is really a first-class young lady. She has manners, polish, attitude."

Sectional championship (at Columbia)

Local coaches set summer sports camps

Granite City's Baker plans soccer camp for June 7-11

The 1999 Warrior Kicker
Camp is set for June 7-11 at
the
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of Belleville Area College.
Sessions are scheduled for 9.a.m. to 12 noon each day.
Cost for the week-long camp is \$85. The camp is open to boys

is \$85.

The camp is open to boys only.

"It's 27 years old here," said Gene Baker, Granite City soccer coach and camp discount of the BaC field, so there are plenty of racilities. Most good, quality commuter teaching camps will run roughly \$125 and up. We tried to keep the cost down. "It is primarily a teaching camp. We teach skills and we focus on southern illhood and we focus on southern illhood and flaws. So the goal is constantly to upgrade the quality of the game in the area.

"I usually have some

"I usually have some guests. Sean Petrosky (a former Warrior standout, now playing in the German Bundesliga First Division with 1860 Munich) will stop by."

Bundesiga First Division with 1860 Munich) will stop by Baker is one of the winningest high school coaches in the nation. Registration forms can be picked up at Granite City High School. Completed applications should be returned to Coach Baker at 1761 Vista Ridge, St. Louis, MO, 63138

Kahoks hoops camp

Kahoks hoops camp
The 17th annual
Collinsville basketball camp
is slated for June 21-25 at
Vergil Fletcher Gymnasium.
The camp will be divided
into two sessions. The
mornning session (9 a.m.-12
noon) is for boys ages 8-11
and the second session (1-4
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p.m. each day) is for ages 12-14. Advance registration is taking place. Limited spaces are available and will be filled on a first-come,

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first-served basis. To receive a registration form, call 346-250 ext. for its 255 and includes all instruction, individual evaluation sheets, camp T-shirt and camp extificate. Each participant will be videotaped while shooting and will have the shots analyzed by the coaching staff. Collinsville High varsity basketball coach Bob Bonc, assistant coaches at Collinsville, former Kahoks players and other coaches from the area.

Kahoks tennis camp

The Kahok Tennis Camp is set for June 14-18 at Collinsville High School tennis courts. The camp under the direction of under the direction of the court of the co grades 3-8. Camp sessions are 8-10 a.m. For information, contact the high school.

Kahoks softball camp

Nanoks SoftDall Camp
The fifth annual
Collinsville softball camp
will be June 14-18 (8:45
a.m.-12 noon each day) and
is open to girls who
currently are playing T-ball
up to those who have
completed the eighth grade.

The cost is \$50 for pre-registered participants; \$55 for registration day of the camp. For information, call Teri Ahlvers at 345-7784.

Kahoks baseball camp

Kahoks baseball camp
The 10th annual
Collinsville baseball camp
will be June 21-25 (81-45
a.m.-12 noon each day) at
Webster Gymnasium,
The cost is \$55 for
pre-registered participants;
\$60 on the day of the camp.
For information, call Teri
Ahlvers at 345-7784.

Girls Soccer Columbia Sectional Regional finals Cambo 13: Cationsville 4, Same 15: Belleville East 1, Carbondale 5, Game 15: Belleville East 1, Game 15: Belleville East 1, Game 15: Carbondale 5, Game 16: Collinsville 2, Carbon 1, Game 1, Gam

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the region
On Tuesday night, Morton received his Athlete of the Year honor in a ceremony at Busch Stadium before the St. Louis Cardinals game with San Francisco.
Among the secon nominees for the Journal of Kenny Luiz of Collinsville — the Athletes of the Year for the Journal Newspapers of Southern Illinois.
Although Morton's ability to throw the fooball caught some teams off guard last fall, it was no surprise to

Althoff 0. Game 12: Granite City 2, Triad

1. Game 13: Collinsville 4, O'Fallon 1. Game 14: Carbondale 2

Rams coach Darren Sunkett.

"To tell you the truth, it's what I expected," Sunkett said, "I knew that he had that kind of ability. He was in his third year as the starter and I expected him to be the leader, and he was. Before we were ready, he put us on he shoulders and carried us. Morton's role in it—was the perfect finish to Morton's prep career.
"That was my goal and I accomplished it," he said. "I thought I had a good season the year before, I had a good season the year before, I whenever anybody mentioned me, all they talked about was my ability to run with the ball, so it felt good to

Sectional semifinals
(at Columbia)
May 27
15: Belleville East 1,

Morton's concentration to football pays off in title

May 29
Belleville East vs. Collinsville.

4 4 I thought I had a good season the year before, but I didn't get any recognition at all. Whenever anybody mentioned me, all they talked about was my ability to run with the ball, so it felt good to put up those kind of (passing) numbers."

Christian Morton Riverview (Mo.) Gardens senior

recruiting Morton, who played prep basketball through his junior year at Riverview Gardens and led the team in scoring as a junior. Other colleges — and there were plenty of them

after the 1998 season ended — never caught up. Morton honored an early oral commitment and signed with the Honored Endewer. Morton still is waiting word on his eligibility. If he can meet the required ACT score, Morton hopes to hit the ground running. He leaves for Champaign on June 12.

Morton's decision to concentrate on football kept him from returning to the Rams basketball team this winter.

"I really wanted to play," he said.
"But sometimes, you have to
sacrifice some things."

Stark excelled in soccer, softball and basketball for Lions

put up those kind of (passing) numbers." The University of Illinois recognized Morton's passing ability. The Illini got an early start

's great at everything. Soccer. Softball.

Basketball.

Her Bills around skill made her the Suburban Journals Female Athlete of the Year for the 1998-99 school year. Other nominees included Danielle Lawary of Belleville West and Autumn Dow of Collinsville — the Athletes of the Year for the Journal Newspapers of Southern Illinois.

Southern Illinois.

The winners were announced at pregame ceremonies Tuesday at Busch Stadium. Athlete of the Year honorees from each Journal publication group in the metro area were recognized by Suburban Journals president and comporate partner Fred Hansam of Bobbs Tire and Auto president David Dobbs. "Stark is remarkable," Lions soccer coach Azim Anwary says.

If there was any doubt of that, the 18-year-old wiped it out this year. After setting impossibly high standards as a junior, she came back and was even better this year:

- She won all-state honors in softball, hitting

559 and leading the St. Louis region with 52 stolen bases, She shared Suburban South Conference Player of the Year honors, winning the award of the second year in a row.

• In basketball, she led the Suburban South Conference in assists (by a 2-to-1 margin) and was among the league's best in scoring and steals. She won all-conference honors for leading the Northwest basketball team to a district championship. And, despite drawing more defensive attention—and more smacks, whacks and collisions—than anyone else in the area, she captured the St. Louis area scoring title for the second year in a row.

Stark broke her own single-season soccer scoring record when she jammed her 43rd goal coring record in the start goal championship game. It was the latest in a long list of season and career marks she's set in softball, basketball and soccer.

SUBURBAN JOURNALS
ATHLETES OF THE YEAR
Following is a listing of the athietes singled out as the top high school performers of the 1998-99 school year at the Suburban Journals' seven publication groups in the metro area. The Athiete of the Year award winners were recognized during on-field ceremonies prior to the St. Louis Cardinals game Tuesday at Busch Stadium.

BOYS HONOREES

Illinois (Madison County)
Collinsville Kenny Lutz...

Stewart Kimball......Eureka (Mo.)
North St. Louis County
Christian Morton.......Riverview (Mo.) Gardens
West St. Louis County

team's success. The Lions' district title was the first for the program since 1978. The first for the program since 1978 and then win two district titles (baskeball and soccer) in the last year," she said. "I really couldn't have asked for anything better." In her "free time," Stark has been a big part of the winning formula with her select soccer

Danielle Laway Bellevine vision County Collinsville

Autumn Dow. West St. Louis County
Melanie Fisher.... Town and Country (Mo.) Principia
St. Charles County
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team, J.B. Marine, and with her select softball club, the St. Louis Heat. J.B. Marine has won eight consecutive Missouri titles and played for the 17-and-under national title last summer.

The Heat ran off a winning streak of more than 50 games last season on its way to a 12th-place finish in the national tournament

Kahoks reach sectional final

Collinsville nips Terriers to set up third meeting with Lancers

By Brian Bretsch Staff writer

The Collinsville High girls soccer team reached its anticipated third meeting with the collins of the collins o

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Collinsville, the No. 2 seed behind Belleville East, defeated No. 3 ©arbondale 2-1 on Thursday afternoon in Columbia.

The Kahoks (15-4-1) were scheduled to play East (20-2) in the championship game Saturday morning in their bid for a second straight appearance at the IHSA girls soccer state tournament. The Lancers defeated Granite City 1-0 on Thursday evening.

For the first time in three postseason tests, Collinsville did not trail in Thursday's game but it did have its toughest opponent in the Terriers (18-5-1).

Heather Holland's restart goal for the Kahoks with 18 minutes remaining broke a 1-1 tie and stood up as the game-winner. Holland actually misfired

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on the restart kick and floated a shot toward the net. The ball bounced in front of Carbondale keeper Sarah Hyde and then bounced over and into the net.

"Actually that ball should have been further out toward our players," Wallace said. "They had a tall player back in there. We said any time we have any set plays we need to keep it away from her or sail it over her head. We were able to do that and the keeper just read the ball wrong and it bounced over her head."

Carbondale's backfield kept the Kahoks from getting many shots on goal. Holland's kick was the team's first shot of the second half.

"They were tough," Wallace said. "It is hard some times when you are not familiar with a team and know a few things about them. It was difficult, We are a nice team. They have a solid defense. We had a hard time there for a while just penetrating their defense but we figured it out and were able to capitalize."

Scoring opportunities were limited for both teams in the first half. The Kahoks struck first on a picture-perfect corner kick. Kelly Bowling floated the kick toward

the near post near the post and in front of Hyde, deflected the ball into the net.

"Kelly was warming up before the match on her corners," Wallace said match on her corners, "Wallace said match on the keeper. I told Amanda to get in on the keeper. I told Amanda to get in on the keeper. Normally, we make a run there (toward the near post) instead of basically standing there, but it paid off for us."

Stacy Deluca kept the Terriers off the coreboard in the first half with seven

But Carbondale tied the score one minute into the second half. Courtney Reeder chipped a shot from 20 yards out that sailed over the head of Kahoks keeper Angié Parker.

The Terriers nearly took the lead 10 minutes later. The Terriers fired a shot at take the terriers half of the country of the sound of the country of t

Granite City edges Eagles

Warriors take advantage of Civic Memorial's errors

By Adam Roe Staff writer

Five Civic Memorial errors allowed Granite City to pick up a 4-3 victory BASEBALL Thursday in the first round of the HRSA Class AA Granite City Regional. The third-seeded Eagles and the first inning, of the control of the Hrsa (13-20) capitalized on the opportunities.

"There were a couple times in the game where they helped to the first were they helped to the first were they helped to the first were the first were first

Gus Lignoul Granite City coach

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the game where they helped us out and we

were able to take advantage of it. We got real good pitching from Scott Schardan and Sean Courtney."

Gus Lignoul Granite City coach good until the bottom of the fifth, "Courtney said. "I got ahead of the batters but I just couldn't make that last pitch I think I just wasn't focusing mentally like I was before with the said of the sai

INTERNET ACCESS Lancers eliminate **Granite City 1-0**

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tackled from behind midway through the first half.
"I think we had the better of the play and we lost the game," Granite City Coach is the nature of the game, the nature of the game sometimes and you have to be able to deal with that.
"Melissa got hurt early and I think that really affected the game."

Both sides had to deal with a thin, fast turf at Columbia Soccer Complex. "The field was fast, but we said that it would be lik that and both teams have to

play on it," Baker said. "At least it was true to play. It's a nice field."

The Warriors, seeded fifth for the sectional, finished

13-5-2, including a win against No. 4 Triad in the regional championship.

"We all came together and we all played our hearts out today," Judge said. "We all wanted it really bad today. Everyone wanted to win, we played like a team, and we outplayed them. We had some shots, but we just didn't get them in when we needed to."

Belleville East was set for its rubber game with Collinsville.

"I think we just need a Hitle bit of confidence." Hitle bit of confidence." This win will give them some confidence and we can start really picking it up and acting like we are a No. 1 seed. But other than that we are playing really well.



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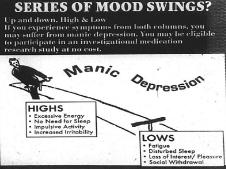
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Edwardsville	9-3	25-6
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Civic Memorial	7-3	14
Highland	6-4	

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Edwardsville	5-6	15-13
Alton	5-7	12-16
Granite City	5-7	9-13
Collinsville	3-9	10-14
East St. Louis	0-11	0-12
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Team	Conf	Overall
Mascoutah	8-1	21-6
Triad	6-3	19-6
Highland	6-3	16-10
Civic Memorial	6-4	12-12
Waterloo	2-8	8-18
Jerseyville	0-9	2-25
Cat	okia	
Team	Conf	Overall
Wesclin	B-0	15-7
Freeburg	6-2	9-11
Columbia	5-3	19-9
Duran	4.3	15.5

	Cahokia	
Team	Conf	Overall
Wesclin	8-0	15-7
Freeburg	6-2	9-11
Columbia	5-3	19-9
Dupo	4-3	15-5
New Athens	4.3	8-13
Red Bud	3-3	8-5
Lebanon .	3-5	8-16
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Belleville Wost Regional
May 27
Game 1: Cahoka (4) at Collinoville (1),
Game 2: Cahoka (4) at Collinoville (1),
Game 3: Belleville Wast (3) at Belleville
Althoff (2),
May 23

May 31 Winner Game 2 vs. Winner Game 3.

Centralia Regional
May 27
Game 1: Mascoulan 14, Centralia 1.
Game 2: Highhay 29
Game 3: Mascoulan (4) at Belleville
East (1),
Game 4: Highland (3) at O'Fallon (2),
May 31
Winner Game 4 - 4

Granite City Regional
May 27
Game 1: Alton 12, Jerseyville 2,
Game 2: Granite City 4, Bethalto Civic
emorial 3.

May 29
Game 3: Alton (5) at Edwardsville (1).
Game 4: Granite City (6) at Triad (2).
May 31
Winner Game 3 vs. Winner Game 4.

Mount Vernon Regional
May 27
Game 1: Carbondale 5, Salem 0.
May 29
Game 2: Carbondale (5) at Mount Vernon (1).
Game 3: Murphysboro (3) at Marion (2).
May 31
Winner Game 2 vs. Winner Game 3.

Edwardsville Sectional
June 3
Game 1: Belleville West Regional winner vs. Centralia Regional winner.
Game 2: Granito City Regional winner vs. Mount Vermon Regional winner.
Winner Game 1 vs. Winner Game 2.

Prep Softball
O'Fallon Sectional
(Seeds in parentheses)

Centralia Regional
May 27
Game 1: Mount Vernon 11, Centralia 2:
Game 2: Carbondale 5, Salem 4 (15 innings).

May 29

Game 3: Mount Vernon (4) at Murphysboro (1).

Game 4: Carbondale (3) at Marion (2).

May 31 Winner Game 3 vs. Winner Game 4

Balleville West Regional
Game 1: Granite City 22, Cahokia 1.
Game 2: Waterloo 24, East St. Louis 0.
Game 3: Grante City (4) at Belleville
West (1)
Game 4: Waterloo at 0 Fallon (2).
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Edwardsville Regional
May 27
Garrie 1: Collinsville 10, Jerseyville 0,
May 29
Gamie 2: Collinsville (4) at Edwardsville Gamet 3: Alton (3) at Bethalto Civic Memorial (2).

May 31 . Winner Game 2 vs. Winner Game 3.

Belleville East Regional
May 27
Game 1: Triad 2. Highland 1
May 29
Game 2: Triad (5) at Belleville East (1).
Game 3: Mascoutah (3) at Belleville
Althoff (2).

May 31 Winner Game 2 vs. Winner Game 3.

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social scene soars
LEO (July 23-Aug. 22). Come
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your strength of will. Avoid
pursuing a romance that would
ruin a friendship. Social gatherings and group discussions
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brother for stealing her girlfriend.
"She's a lesbian outcast, dark-horse person. I think she shocks everyone at first obsecuate you're is making out as girl," Campbell said.
"As the movie progresses, you really see that she's the smartest, most sensitive and emotionally stable person in the whole cast. She's really a character with depth. She's totally together. She sees things the way they really are."

Despite lack of focus, 'Tea With Mussolini' charming film

By Brian Kaller Staff writer

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"Tea With Mussolini," the
first release from
Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer's new
G2 Films division, is a sweet
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romantic Italian countryside
as their home. They live as
an enclave of Englishness on
the crowded Italian streets,
which is a street of the stage
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("Here we have tea
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and Michaelangelo does not
extend to learning a word of
Italian or interacting with
the local peasantry, who call
them the "Scorpioni" for
These women are an
eclectic bunch.—Arabella
(Judi Dench) is an eccentric
artist who acts out
performances of metry and
her dog as she paints in the
cathedral. Lady Hester,
(Maggie Smith), the
artistocratic grande ame of
the film of the stage of the
metron her late husband's
ambassador status in every
sentence. And the group is
rounded out by two
Americans, the flam boyan
Tomanish archaeologist
friend, Georgie (Lil)
Mary (Joan Plowright).
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a dismal orphanage. Reluctantly, she takes in the child, and enlists the help of the other women in raising

in the movie, as each of the women spend the years watching the child in turns. Mary teaches him shakespears the shakespears and support of the shakespears are shakespears and support of the shakespears and support of the shakespears are shakespears and shakespears are the shakespears are the

becomes the adopted son of the colony, comfortable in both the English and Italian worlds.

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The problem, though, is the rambling nature of the film, and the lack of a clear focus.





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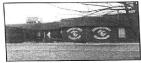
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curiosity about the world,
conviction that the future is
bright, and an imperative to
treat others well no matter
how alien they seem.

Granted, most of those chronicled in "Trekkies" belong to the fringe of "Star Trek" fandom. It's the same story when TV covers. "Trek" view for the growing fling on and the geeky Vulcan with the pointy ears; it makes for good video. But do you ever see the normally dressed for good video. But do you ever see the normally dressed for good video. But do you from the great of the fling flin

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Hopkins receives 'outstanding' citation

Bridget Hopkins, a seventh-grade student at Holy Family School in Granite City, received an 'outstanding'' for her science fair project at the Illinois Junior Academy of Science State Science Fair in May

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lorined steel charles to passenger compartment.

Inside the spacious cabin, the instrument panel's soft-touch texture looks rich and has no separate cut lines for the passenger-side air bag. Controls for heating/cooling as well as radio are routh are easily reached by the driver. Buttons and knobs are large and easy to use.

The large, simple white-on-black instruments fon't look as elegant as the white-faced gauges of the 300M, LHS and Dodge Intrepid. Woodgesteen the second of the secon

trols, it is nearly impossible not to be able to adjust the seat to a setting that feels right. If the seat to a setting that feels right the seat to a setting that feels right. If the seat the seat to a setting that feels right gear shift lever, divides the front seats and contains a built-in cup holder as well as a handy storage box. The PRNDL indicator on the console is illuminated even though there is another indicator next to the speedometer.

I notice that the large front and rear windows let in a lot of sun so the car got fairly warm inside even when the outside temperature system did a good job of cooling things down quickly without softmain like a jet engine was under the dash.

Attention to detail is widely evident. Sound-deadening foam injected into body cavities cuts are kept in check because the rear suspension uses a large aluminum cross-member.

The Concorde was completed before the merger that resulted in what is now barmlerChrysler. It demonstrated just how barmlerChrysler. It demonstrated cars that are both handsome and functional. Let's hope that trend continues under the new ownership. The base price of our LXi test car was \$21,565. Standard equipment included power windows, power locks, power mirrors, till when the control is a superior of the control

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By Rick Stoff

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Honda recently announced it was getting out of the battery-propelled electric car business. The company such as the company su

trons. The exhaust byproduct of the process is water vapor.

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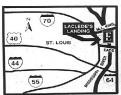
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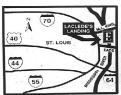
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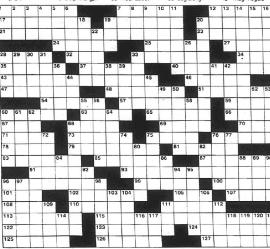
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Set a schedule. Your lawn doesn't need dousing every day. Watering every other day is fine, especially if you do it in the early morning or evening when the sun won't evaporate the water before it can soak in.

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steps that are involved:

• Direct water away from
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Before beginning work on
the inside of your house, make
sure all outside gutters and
drains are free of leaves and
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Check for any leaks in
downspouts and between gutter
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Clean basement walls and plug holes or cracks to stop the flow of running water.
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It is very important to remove efflorescence before applying a waterproof paint, so that it doesn't interfere with adhesion of the paint. Use a concrete cleaning and etching compound, following package. Twelve cunces of crystals dissolved in 1 gallon of warm water usually will remove the powder. Scrub the solution on the walls with a stiff bristle scrub brush, rinse and let dry completely before applying paint.

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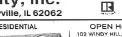
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